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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q57074

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Appln. No.: 09/455,331

Group Art Unit: 2624

Confirmation No.: 4972

Examiner: Douglas Q, TRAN

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For: PRINTER, IMAGE PRINTING SYSTEM TO WHICH THE PRINTER IS
APPLIED, AND METHOD FOR PRINTING CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

1. (Amended) A printer-comprising:
an input unit;
a controller for reading print type information sent through a communication interface together with print data and determining whether a user selected a confidential print mode or a general print mode, and for performing, when the confidential print mode is selected, the printing of a confidential print data file received when a code that is the same as a secret code set in the received print type information is input through the input unit; and